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MEMORANDUM TO: Director of Training

THROUGH : Assistant Deputy/Inspection and Security

FROM : Assistant Director, Scientific Intelligence

SUBJECT : Conference on USSR at SAIS

REFERENCE : D/Tr Memorandum to TLO's dtd 19 June 1953, same subject.

1. It is requested that OSI personnel named herein be extended invitations for attendance at the Conference on the USSR sponsored by the Johns Hopkins University, School for Advanced International Studies. The individuals are listed in the order selected by the OSI Career Service Board.

2. Although the divisional work load restricts the attendance of the first six (6) individuals to one day, it is the expressed desire of the OSI Career Service Board that they be given priority over all other applicants from this Office. Also, there would be relatively little value to be gained from their attendance at discussions which do not deal primarily with Soviet science.

3. The names of the OSI personnel who request invitations to attend the Conference on Wednesday, 12 August 1953 are as follows:

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a. Mr. [REDACTED] GS-9

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- (1) Scientific Analysis Division, SI
- (2) Intelligence Officer - Research Analyst
- (3) B.S. - Mathematics
- (4) Will not attend banquet.

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b. Mr. [REDACTED] GS-9

- (1) Scientific Analysis Division, SI
- (2) Intelligence Officer - Research Analyst
- (3) B.S. - Chemistry
- (4) Will not attend banquet.

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c. Miss [REDACTED] GS-7

- (1) Scientific Analysis Division, SI
- (2) Intelligence Officer - Research Analyst
- (3) B.S. - Chemistry
- (4) Will not attend banquet.

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d. Miss [REDACTED] GS-11

- (1) Scientific Analysis Division, SI
- (2) Intelligence Officer - Research Analyst
- (3) Acting Divisional Branch Chief
- (4) Will not attend banquet.

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Employee will make no reference to, or discuss his CIA connection, assignment or duties while participating in

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e. Miss [REDACTED] GS-11

- (1) Scientific Analysis Division, SI
- (2) Intelligence Officer - Research Analyst
- (3) B.A. Degree
- (4) Will not attend banquet.

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f. Miss [REDACTED] GS-9

- (1) Scientific Analysis Division, SI
- (2) Intelligence Officer - Research Analyst
- (3) B.S. Degree - Chemistry
- (4) Will not attend banquet.

4. The above named individuals are assigned to the Scientific Analysis Division of this Office. In their research work they are constantly required to make assessments and evaluations of intelligence information dealing with the Soviet Union and the Satellite nations. Because this close association with intelligence information on the Soviet orbit is linked with the present duty assignments of these individuals, it is believed that attendance at the SAIS Conference would be of definite value in the performance of their daily tasks.

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5. The following individuals request invitations to attend the entire Conference. With the exception of Mr. [REDACTED], all the individuals named below desire to attend the Conference banquet.

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a. Mrs. [REDACTED] GS-13

- (1) Acting Branch Chief, Scientific Resources Division, SI
- (2) Mrs. [REDACTED] is charged with the responsibility for evaluating intelligence on scientific resources of the Eastern European Satellite nations
- (3) The applicant holds a M.S. Degree in Chemistry
- (4) Mrs. [REDACTED] present duty assignment is directly connected with the Soviet orbit in that she is constantly required to evaluate intelligence information emanating from that area. This Office feels that the Conference would increase her knowledge and understanding of the USSR and would contribute directly to her ability as an analyst in her present position.

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b. Mr. [REDACTED] GS-15

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- (1) Chief, Intelligence Production Staff, SI
- (2) As Chief, Intelligence Production Staff, Mr. [REDACTED] is charged with formulating plans for the production of scientific intelligence and with advising and assisting ONE in the formulating of scientific intelligence for inclusion in National Intelligence Estimates.

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b. Mr. [REDACTED] (cont.)

- (3) A.B. and LLB degrees; graduate of National War College.
- (4) The Conference will provide Mr. [REDACTED] with added background information on the USSR which will aid him in his planning and policy making duty assignment with OSI.

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c. Mr. [REDACTED] GS-13

- (1) Staff Officer, Operations Staff, SI
- (2) Performance of Staff duties concerned with external research projects, liaison, and availability of consultants for use in projects.
- (3) B.S. degree - Chemical engineering
- (4) The Conference would permit Mr. [REDACTED] to familiarize himself with current Soviet policies and techniques. Such knowledge would be highly desirable in making recommendations on proposed plans and projects of this Office and in the possible exploitation of external sources of information.

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d. Mr. [REDACTED] GS-13

- (1) Chief, Requirements Branch, General Services Staff, SI
- (2) Mr. [REDACTED] supervises and directs the processing of requirements requests for all divisions and staffs of OSI.
- (3) A.B. degree in Geology; has recently completed the requirements for his M.A. in Geography.
- (4) As Chief of Requirements Branch, Mr. [REDACTED] must review, rewrite, and determine best possibilities for collection on all OSI requirements. The Conference would contribute valuable background knowledge in the determining of the collection potential for OSI requirements.

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e. Mr. [REDACTED] GS-12

- (1) Deputy Division Chief, Applied Science Division, SI
- (2) Mr. [REDACTED] supports the Division Chief in the discharging of substantive and administrative responsibilities.
- (3) B.S. and M.A. degrees in Business Administration
- (4) The responsibilities of Mr. [REDACTED]s present duty assignment call for a comprehensive understanding of the policies and motivating forces influencing foreign nations. The Conference would add to his knowledge of the USSR and increase his ability in present position.

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f. Mr. [REDACTED] GS-14

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- (1) Acting Chief, Naval Branch, Applied Science Division, SI
- (2) Mr. [REDACTED] area of responsibility includes supervising and assisting in the analysis of all intelligence information on foreign research and development of naval weapons and equipment
- (3) B.S. Degree in Economics
- (4) The Conference will contribute significant information in the increasing of Mr. [REDACTED] background knowledge of the Soviet Union, thus increasing his proven analytical ability.

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g. Mr. [REDACTED] GS-13

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- (1) Chief, [REDACTED] Applied Science Division, SI
- (2) Mr. [REDACTED] is engaged in the intelligence analysis and evaluation of information on foreign aircraft, equipment, and accessories.
- (3) B.S. Degree in Economics
- (4) Mr. [REDACTED] request to attend the Conference is based on a desire to augment background knowledge of the USSR. It is believed that such knowledge would contribute to the increasing value of his analytical work.

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h. Dr. [REDACTED] GS-13

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- (1) Chief, Physics Branch, Chemistry Division, SI
- (2) Plans intelligence research studies and prepares contributions to intelligence estimates in his substantive field.
- (3) M.A. and PhD. - Chemistry
- (4) Dr. [REDACTED] is constantly involved in the screening and evaluating of intelligence information from the USSR and Satellites. The Conference would provide an opportunity for increased understanding of the background, motives, plans and future policies of the USSR.

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j. Mrs. [REDACTED] GS-7

- (1) Intelligence Officer, Medicine Division, SI
- (2) Duties include screening and evaluating all Russian language medical intelligence received by her Division. She must render periodic reports on the status and possible future developments of medical research in the USSR.

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j. Mrs. [REDACTED] (cont.)

(3) M.A. degree

(4) Attendance at the Conference would provide Mrs. [REDACTED] with an opportunity to increase her knowledge of the nation with which she is involved in the daily performance of her duties as an Intelligence Officer.

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